

- Y.L.C.A. Membership It was agreed to renew the Parish Council's membership
- Drainage The Chairman advised that Blakeys had not reverted to him, and that there is now a new contractor – Walsh Brothers based in South Milford – pricing the Main Street scheme; he had met twice with the QS, and we should have a new price within a week or so.
- Quarry Bridge – Cllr. Ms Marshall reported that Stuart Edwards had advised her that he had met with the Pick family, and that the gate and gateposts had been taken down, and both sides cleared of debris. The Picks advised they will apply for land drainage consent, and install a culvert of appropriate size, then re-build the bridge.
- HS2 Link – possible effect on Saxton Disquiet was voiced over the proximity of the proposed high speed rail link to Saxton village and it was agreed that the Parish Council needed to be vigilant
- Closure of RAF Church Fenton – possible effect on Saxton The closure of RAF Church Fenton had been officially announced, and concern was expressed over the possible use of the site for housing, leading to increased traffic through the village. Again, the Parish Council would monitor the situation closely.
- Damaged Lamp Posts in Saxton Lane It was noted that the electrician proposed to start work on the 27th May.
- Contract of Employment Parish Council Clerk As is now the custom, the Clerk asked to be provided with a contract of employment. She had obtained a model from the Y.L.C.A. and would email it to Councillors, for discussion at the next meeting
- Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman, should, by means of special circumstances, be considered as a matter of urgency
- Cllr. Ms Marshall voiced her concern over the ongoing viability of the swimming pool at Sherburn High School. She also confirmed having deposited old parish records in the archive at Northallerton, and the Clerk was given the receipt.
- Cllr. Ms Barrowman advised the meeting that there would be a party night, including an auction of favours, to be held on the 27th April 2013 to raise funds for the school.
- The date for the Scarecrow Festival had been confirmed as the 30th June 2013, and the Clerk had advised all those who had expressed an interest. She had also contacted our insurers, who had said they did not think extra event cover was required, but had promised to confirm in writing.
- Cllr Ms Hodgson voiced her concern over possible damage to property caused by loose chippings left by NYCC contractors when making road repairs.
- Date of Next Meeting This was already set for Tuesday 21st May 2013.